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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA v.	Oriminal No. 20cr10259 U.S. DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASS. Violation:
DASHAWN MATTHEWS, a/k/a "Smoov,"	Count One: Distribution of and Possession with Intent to Distribute Fentanyl and Cocaine Base (21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1))
Defendant) Forfeiture Allegation: (21 U.S.C. § 853)

INFORMATION

COUNT ONE

Distribution of and Possession with Intent to Distribute Fentanyl and Cocaine Base (21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1))

The United States Attorney charges:

On or about May 17, 2019, in Boston, in the District of Massachusetts, the defendant,

DASHAWN MATTHEWS, a/k/a "Smoov,"

did knowingly and intentionally distribute and possess with intent to distribute a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl] propanamide, also known as fentanyl, a Schedule II controlled substance, and a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of cocaine base, a Schedule II controlled substance.

All in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1).

DRUG FORFEITURE ALLEGATION (21 U.S.C. § 853)

1. Upon conviction of the offense in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841, set forth in Count One of this Information, the defendant,

DASHAWN MATTHEWS, a/k/a "Smoov,"

shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853, any property constituting, or derived from, any proceeds obtained, directly or indirectly, as a result of such offense; and any property used, or intended to be used, in any manner or part, to commit, or to facilitate the commission of, such offense.

- 2. If any of the property described in Paragraph 1, above, as being forfeitable pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant -
 - a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
 - b. has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;
 - c. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;
 - d. has been substantially diminished in value; or
 - e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be divided without difficulty;

it is the intention of the United States, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), to seek forfeiture of any other property of the defendant up to the value of the property described in Paragraph 1 above.

All pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853.

Respectfully submitted,

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